SENATE BILL 544

By Massey

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 37, Chapter 5, Part 3, relative to the community services agency board.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

- SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 37-5-307(a)(2), is amended by deleting the subdivision and substituting instead the following:
 - (2) Review and approve plans of operation submitted in accordance with § 37-5-310;
- SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 37-5-310(a), is amended by deleting the subsection and substituting instead the following:
 - (a) At least ninety (90) days prior to the beginning of each state fiscal year, the board shall submit a plan of operation for review and approval to the commissioner. The plan of operation shall be in such form as may be required by the department and shall include, but not be limited to, the following:
 - (1) A budget for operating and capital expenditure;
 - (2) Contracts for services;
 - (3) Appropriate policies and procedures adopted by the board to govern the expenditure of funds; and
 - (4) Other items as required by the department through rules and regulations.
- SECTION 3. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 37-5-310(b), is amended by deleting the subsection and substituting instead the following:

(b) The plan of operation may be amended during the fiscal year with the written approval of the commissioner.

SECTION 4. This act takes effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.

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